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PATENT APPLICATION

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In re application of

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 26, 2001 please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the following claims:

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1. A printer system including a host computer and a printer for receiving print data from the host computer, the printer system comprising:
- print data generation means, contained in the host computer, for generating print data;
- reply information issuance means for generating print job data, wherein the print job data comprises the print data and reply information, and wherein the reply information issuance means generates the print job data by locating the reply information at a predetermined position with respect to the print data, and wherein the print job data is transmitted to the printer;